## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the

Eastern District of North Carolina

United States of America	
v. RAYFORD FAISON	) Case No: 7:09-CR-54-2H
Date of Original Judgment:  Date of Previous Amended Judgment:  (Use Date of Last Amended Judgment if Any)  August 9, 20  N/A	) USM No: 51650-056
ORDER REGARDING MOTION FOR SENTENCE REDUCTION	
PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(2)	
Upon motion of \( \begin{align*} \) the defendant \( \begin{align*} \) the Director of the Bureau of Prisons \( \begin{align*} \) the court under 18 U.S.C. \( \circ\) 3582(c)(2) for a reduction in the term of imprisonment imposed based on a guideline sentencing range that has subsequently been lowered and made retroactive by the United States Sentencing Commission pursuant to 28 U.S.C. \( \circ\) 994(u), and having considered such motion, and taking into account the policy statement set forth at USSG \( \circ\) 1B1.10 and the sentencing factors set forth in 18 U.S.C. \( \circ\) 3553(a), to the extent that they are applicable,	
IT IS ORDERED that the motion is:  DENIED. GRANTED and the defendant's previously imposed sentence of imprisonment (as reflected in the last judgment issued) of months is reduced to	
Although the defendant was convicted of Conspiracy to Distribute and Possess With the Intent to Distribute 50 Grams or More of Cocaine Base (Crack), for guideline purposes, he was only held accountable for cocaine powder. Therefore, the amendment does not have the effect of lowering the defendant's guideline range.	
If the amount of time the defendant has already served exceeds this sentence, the sentence is reduced to a "Time Served" sentence, subject to an additional period of up to ten (10) days for administrative purposes of releasing the defendant.	
(Complete Parts I and II of Page 2 when motion is granted)	
Except as otherwise provided, all provisions of the judgment(s) dated shall remain in effect. IT IS SO ORDERED.  Order Date: 12/20/2012  Order Date: 12/20/2012  Judge's signature	
Effective Date: (if different from order date)	Malcolm J. Howard, Senior US District Judge  Printed name and title